



UNIVERSITY HILL UPDATE

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To: University Hill Stakeholders

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Annual Hill Surveys Out This Week

Each year, we measure progress with two Hill community development goals: improved quality of life on the Hill for its residents, businesses and visitors; year-round vitality in the Hill Commercial Area. Please feel free to forward the link to anyone else who might be interested. **Responses collected until Aug. 15th.**

All Boulder Community Members click [HERE](#) to take the annual Hill community development survey.

Hill Businesses click [HERE](#) to take the Hill business owner survey.

Hill Hotel Public-Private Partnership at Council Sept. 6th

On Sept. 6th, Council is scheduled to consider a Letter of Intent (LOI) or “road map” to develop a 250-space public parking garage underneath a proposed 155-room hotel development on University Hill. The hotel would be within the University Hill General Improvement District (UHGID) and is therefore not required to construct its own parking. Increasing public parking on the Hill has been identified as fundamental to achieving year-round vitality and attracting year-round customers. The number of employee permits would be increased as well to reduce commuter parking in Hill neighborhoods. Click [HERE](#) for an overview of the project.

Joint Hill Boulder/UHCAMC Meeting Sept. 15th

The Hill Boulder merchant association and the **University Hill Commercial Area Management Commission** (UHCAMC) will be hosting a joint public meeting on **Thursday, Sept. 15th from 4:00-6:00 p.m.** to (i) review designs for the future event street at 13th/Pennsylvania and (ii) discuss approaches to problems with increased transient activity on the Hill. The meeting will be held in the conference room on the ground floor of the Muni Building at 1777 Broadway.

New Campaign to Address Increased Transient Activity in the Hill Commercial Area

In response to recent concerns with Hill employees being approached by aggressive transients, efforts have stepped up to encourage more respectful behavior. **The Hill Boulder** partnered with **Grenadier Advertising** to design a window cling to encourage respect for businesses and their patrons. **Boulder Vapor House** will fund the printing of the window clings, and the city's **Hill Community Development** budget will fund the printing of a card to encourage employees to call **Boulder Police** dispatch (303-441-3333) to allow trained officers to assess the situation and intervene if necessary.

